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In June I thought it was the [illegible]
The [illegible] thought [illegible]
[illegible] always [illegible]
[illegible] We [illegible]

My w[illegible] sweet soul encouraged it
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] brought from [illegible] work

[illegible] back
[illegible] and fives
[illegible] with [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible] fill [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] you're [illegible]

[illegible] cloth
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] my friends
[illegible]
[illegible] districts
[illegible] that I could boast

[illegible] I went to see
[illegible] of my plan,
[illegible] always thought
There was no better man.

The farmer [illegible] with eye to [illegible]
[illegible] soft snap
[illegible] and Finnegans
[illegible]

[illegible] they all will vote
And you can get it straight,
[illegible] to go
[illegible] must wait.

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] trips we have to make
[illegible] in the [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] day the barns [illegible]
[illegible] keep the [illegible] full!"

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] that at last
[illegible]

[illegible] town I went
[illegible] thick
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] there, [illegible]
[illegible] fresh [illegible]
[illegible] gathered
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible] I admit
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] them at the polls.

[illegible] I went [illegible]
And [illegible] the went by
My [illegible] disappeared
[illegible]

[illegible] day [illegible] at last,
Which was to show the test
[illegible] the votes were counted
[illegible] best

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
But I would that I were [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

FIVE MILLION POUNDS.

By T. WEMYSS REID.

CHAPTER XI.

I MEET DAISY ONCE MORE.

There was a hoarse cry of anger—a growl such as might have broken from the throat of a wild beast—and almost instantaneously I found myself borne down to the floor where I lay with Flinter's hands grasping my throat and his knees firmly planted on my body. I had hardly realized my position, however when I saw Branksome throw himself upon the ruffian. Fosdyke also came to my assistance and after a short, sharp struggle I was released from a grasp which, if it had been continued much longer, might have put a premature end to my adventures.

Branksome's indignation against Flinter was great but it was not to be compared with that which Flinter evidently entertained against me. For the moment he seemed altogether to have lost his self-control, and I verily believe that if Branksome and Fosdyke had not been on the alert, he would there and then have murdered me before their eyes.

"Curse you! curse you!" he cried, shaking his clinched fist at me, while passion of the most frightful character blazed from his evil eyes. "May I be lost forever if I don't pay you for this."

"Curse you! Curse you!" he cried.

There is no need to inflict upon my readers the horrible imprecations he launched against me, or the foul epithets he applied to me. For some minutes Branksome and Fosdyke continued to remonstrate with him unavailingly. At last, however, he lapsed into a state of sullen calm, though his bloodshot eyes, his swollen veins, and the spumy froth that gathered at the angles of his mouth showed that he was still under the influence of the frenzied excitement which had led him to attack me.

So soon as Branksome was able to leave Fosdyke in sole charge of the ruffian he turned upon me, and in language, the sternness of which astonished me, he said

"You see the effect your statement has had upon this man. Probably you see in it some confirmation of the extraordinary suspicions you appear to entertain regarding him. I know not and I care not whether it is so, but this I must tell you, Mr. Fenton, that to your dying day you will regard with horror and remorse the act to which you have just confessed."

"What do you mean by such a statement? Surely I had a right——"

"Enough, enough, sir!" he cried in a voice which I hardly recognized as his. "Excuse my inability to talk to you in conventional tones or terms. But I cannot bandy words with you at present. God in His mercy grant that something may yet happen to avert the evil which it is but too certain that you have done by your inexcusable conduct."

I tried to justify myself, but it was in vain. Feeling more like a culprit than I had ever done in my life before, I left the cabin and went to my own state room. I am not a coward, but I confess that I passed an uneasy night, knowing that Flinter was on board the yacht. At every moment I expected to hear his footstep by the side of my berth, and to feel his hands upon my throat.

Neither Branksome nor Fosdyke had much to say to me next day. Fosdyke's nervousness was unmistakable, and when I spoke to him he answered in monosyllables. Branksome was grave and preoccupied. His manner to me was courteous, but decidedly cold. When afternoon fell we were running up the Humber over which a light November fog hung, adding to one's depression of spirits. In another hour I knew that I should be free from the yacht. I could not bear the thought of parting on unfriendly terms from Branksome. I had fallen completely under the sway of the man's character, and had recognized that fascination to which Daisy and all others who knew him well had succumbed before me. It was almost humbly that I approached him now and asked him to pardon me if I had been guilty of any indiscretion in sending the telegrams from Trondhjem.

He looked at me for a moment with that searching, fearless gaze which was characteristic of the man. Then he spoke:

"It is I who ought to ask you to pardon me, Mr. Fenton. I undoubtedly was guilty of a breach of good manners in speaking to you as I did last night. But I was agitated to an extent of which you can know nothing. You ask me whether you were guilty of an indiscretion in sending that message to the Barton police. Ah! sir, I dare not hint even to you the terrible suspicion that fills my mind, and that has intensified a hundred-fold my grief at the death of my benefactor. If you knew the feeling of apprehension with which I am awaiting our arrival in port, and the news we may find there, you will not wonder that I lost control of myself last night. I can only say now, as I said then, God grant that my worst fears as to the possible consequences of your act may not be verified!"

What did his strong language mean? It was evident that he was resolved to leave events to interpret it. Full of trouble and perplexity, I waited with impatience for the moment when we should arrive in port.

As we slackened speed off the entrance to the docks I saw a boat, containing the customs and other officials of the port, putting out to meet us. In the prow of the boat was a telegraph messenger. Branksome, Fosdyke and I stood side by side, leaning over the bulwarks of the yacht and awaiting the approach of the little craft. There was none of that joyous excitement which usually prevails on board a vessel entering port after a voyage. Our tongues were silent, and our faces showed too clearly the anxiety that possessed our minds. Above us the leaden cloud of fog hung like a pall. Its desolation and gloom seemed to have taken possession of our hearts.

We heard the measured beat of the oars as the boat drew near, and we could see the features of the men occupying it. To me they seemed to wear an air of stern preoccupation. It was only the innocent little telegraph boy in the prow of the boat who seemed altogether careless and unconcerned, and yet, too, probably, he was the messenger of doom, whose coming we dreaded.

The gangway had been lowered and the customs and health officers came quickly aboard, saluting us as they did so. They were followed immediately by the telegraph messenger.

"Mr Fenton here?" I snatched from his hand the envelope he held towards me and without waiting to see if he had any message for Branksome and Fosdyke I turned away to read that addressed to myself.

It was from the chief constable at Barton and was brief. "Thanks for message. Shall be glad of personal interview at earliest convenience."

I felt relieved. After all there was nothing very terrible in this dispatch, nothing to justify the dark forebodings of Branksome. Yet with the feeling of relief was mingled a sense of disappointment. I had hoped that possibly I might have received a message [illegible]

I turned to look for Branksome but could see nothing either of him or Fosdyke. At that moment one of the persons who had boarded us in the customs boat came up to me and entered into conversation.

"Perhaps you would like to see the evening paper, sir. I got it just as we left the landing stage. You will find in it the latest news about the Great Lorton mystery. But, by the way," he continued, as though a sudden light had broken upon his mind, "the Golden Hawk was the name of Mr Mauleverer's yacht, was it not? Is it possible that you are a friend of his? Have you heard——?"

In an agony of impatience I interrupted him, and asked him to allow me to look at the newspaper.

"You will see the latest telegram there," he said, indicating a particular spot, as I took the sheet into my hands.

I saw at once that "the Great Lorton mystery" was the leading feature of the issue. It filled a column of the paper—a column adorned with big type and striking head lines. I carefully ran my eye down wards, not taking in the sense of the words I read, until I came to the place indicated by the man, and found the following:

"LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

"ARREST ON SUSPICION.

"BARTON, Friday morning.

"This morning Mr Eastmead, chief constable of Barton, acting on information received, proceeded to Great Lorton Hall, and there arrested Miss Daisy Stancliffe, niece of Mr Mauleverer, on suspicion of being concerned in his murder. Miss Stancliffe, it will be remembered, was the only known relative of the deceased, and attended his funeral on Monday as chief mourner. She is said to be a young lady of remarkably prepossessing appearance. It is rumored that evidence of a very startling kind will be laid before the magistrates in support of the charge against her. The prisoner will be brought before a special sessions at Barton this afternoon, but it is understood that on this occasion only formal evidence will be tendered."

I read it all. The words burned themselves into my brain never to be effaced, and then—I suddenly grew sick and cold, the objects about me seemed to be spinning round, and immediately all was blank. For the first time in my life I had fainted.

As I slowly recovered consciousness, Branksome's voice was the first that I heard.

"He is coming round. Take him below."

In obedience to the curt command, I was carried down to the main saloon and laid upon a sofa. In a moment Branksome followed me. He waved aside the sailors who had attended me.

"Well," he said, "you understand now, I suppose?"

His face was almost as white as I felt that mine was.

"No I understand nothing," I answered in faint tones.

"Do you not see, Fenton," he said, in a hurried whisper, "what it is that you have done? You have put an idea in the heads of those fools at Barton and the consequence is the arrest of Daisy."

"You cannot believe that," I said, with more energy. "Surely you do not charge me with having caused her arrest! It is some hideous mistake on the part of these clumsy Yorkshire policemen. We shall have it put right immediately. I shall go to Barton this evening, and see about it."

"My dear young friend," said Branksome, speaking in measured tones and a softened voice, "your eyes are closed to the truth. If you had never hinted at such a thing as murder, Daisy would never had been suspected. But you have lighted the match, and you cannot now prevent the explosion."

I shrank back from him in horror. "Why, you speak as though she might be guilty."

He shook his head slowly, mournfully.

"Did I not tell you that I feared for the consequences when a girl like Daisy, proud, passionate, sensitive, is subjected to such persecutions as those which she had to suffer at Mauleverer's hands?"

"But they were over! Do you not remember the letter you had from her at Bodo! Besides, the thing is ridiculous. Daisy a murderess! I shall believe that you and I are parricides sooner than suspect such a thing."

"Yes," he said, thoughtfully, "I knew I should shock you. But for Daisy's sake, as well as yours, it is better that you should know the worst. You and I have got to save that poor girl, for remember it is you who have brought her into peril."

I was overwhelmed with a grief such as I had never known before. Very hurriedly we made arrangements as to the future, for I felt that we must work together if anything was to be done. He meant, he said, to go to Great Lorton the next morning. For my part I was thankful when I landed to find that there was a train by means of which I could reach Barton that night.

Barton is a pleasant agricultural town, boasting a big market place, where once a week the cattle from the surrounding district are offered for sale, a good hotel, an old church, a jail and a sessions house. It was ten o'clock at night when I reached the end of my journey. I hurried to the hotel and deposited my portmanteau, and then I took the porter who had carried it as my guide to the police station.

Mr. Eastmead, the chief constable, I was told had gone home. If I had very particular business with him, I might possibly see him there, but the officer on duty suggested that I had better call the next morning at ten o'clock, when I would be certain to meet him.

"My duty is pressing," I said, "I must see him to-night."

So I set forth on a walk of half a mile to the chief constable's private residence. On our way to it, the porter, who was still my companion, pointed to a high dead wall occupying one side of one of the streets through which we passed.

"That is the prison, sir," he said.

I looked at the grim, forbidding wall with a shudder. Daisy was within that awful inclosure—a prisoner, made such through my accursed eagerness to suspect others and to meddle in business with which I had no concern. The thought was enough to drive me mad. I expelled it from my mind by an effort that was almost heroic. I must keep my mind clear now even from the pangs of unavailing remorse, if I were to be able to do anything on behalf of the woman I loved.

But I seemed to be in the midst of some hideous nightmare, some black phantasmagoric vision, conjured up by a diseased brain, when I at last reached the house of the official. That it was really true that Daisy was a prisoner, suspected of the murder of her uncle, and that I was about to speak to the very man by whom she had been arrested, was a truth which I simply could not realize.

When Mr Eastmead heard my name he at once expressed his readiness to see me. I was ushered into a little drawing room furnished in the usual style of middle-class households in provincial towns—rickety walnut and faded green rep being the prevailing features of the furniture. Almost before I had time to observe the thoroughly commonplace character of the room, the chief constable himself appeared.

"I am glad to see you, sir," he said. "I have been hoping to hear from you all today." He glanced at the fireplace, which was still occupied by the gilded shavings which had done duty in the summer. "I am afraid you will be cold here, sir. If you do not mind stepping into my sanctum, we can perhaps settle our business more comfortably there."

The "sanctum" was a snug little room at the back of the house, furnished with a big arm-chair and a bigger couch, a large writing table, and a bookcase. It was clear from the perfume that still filled the apartments that when I arrived I had interrupted Mr Eastmead in the middle of a cigar. His first step on installing me in the big arm chair was to produce a cigar box. But I was far too sorely agitated to think of indulging in "the sad man's comforter."

"If you will excuse me," said the officer, "I shall light my pipe. I always think more clearly when I am smoking. And now, sir, I am at your service."

"I was shocked to see that you had made an arrest this morning in connection with the matter about which I telegraphed to you." I could not bring myself to mention my darling's name.

Eastmead's face grew grave. "Yes, we have arrested Miss Stancliffe, Mr Mauleverer's niece. I never had a piece of work to do in my life that I liked less, but it had to be done."

"But she is innocent," I said, trying to speak calmly. "It was not she—I never even thought of her when I telegraphed to you. The thing is quite impossible."

He looked at me keenly for a moment and then said quietly, "I think we had better not discuss Miss Stancliffe's arrest at present, Mr Fenton. I wanted particularly to see [illegible] for telegraphing to me from Norway as you did. What in short, made you suspect foul play in the case of Mr. Mauleverer?"

"Tell me first," I cried imploringly, "how Miss Stancliffe is. You have seen her. How does she bear this frightful calamity? Forgive me but I am deeply interested in her."

"I am afraid I must not answer many questions, Mr Fenton," he responded, "but I think I may tell you that the young lady is well in health and that she bears her misfortunes with courage. She was a little upset at first, and did not seem to understand what had happened but she was a great deal better before I left her in charge of the matron of the prison."

I covered my face with my hands to try to conceal the emotion that I felt. It is not in words to describe what I suffered. There was one question I longed to put to the chief constable—and dare not. That was whether Daisy's arrest was due to the hint I had given him.

"Now, Mr Fenton," he resumed, "I think we had better get to business. I have asked you to tell me frankly what it was that put it into your head that Mr Mauleverer died of poison."

I told him hurriedly all that I knew—or rather that I had suspected. I thought that if I laid everything before him, he would see with me how impossible it was that Daisy could be implicated in the horrible charge, and how strong was the evidence against Flinter. Yet, when I had told my story, I was but too conscious of the weakness of my own case. What did it all amount to? That a madman whom I met in the railway train and of whose identity I knew nothing had declared that murder was about to be done at the hall, and that I had found on board the Golden Hawk a volume which had evidently been used for the purpose of studying the symptoms of poisoning by strychnia.

Eastmead listened to me with close attention while I told my tale, but it was not until I mentioned strychnia that his interest seemed to be really awakened.

"You said nothing about that in your telegram to me."

"No, I only thought it necessary to give you a general warning."

"And have you heard—has anybody told you the result of the post mortem?"

"I have heard nothing beyond the bare fact of Miss Stancliffe's arrest."

"Ah, then I do not know whether you will or will not be surprised to hear that the autopsy has shown that Mr Mauleverer undoubtedly died from poisoning by strychnia."

"Then," I said, eagerly, "do you not see how clear it is that Flinter must be the guilty person?"

"You jump to conclusions in a surprising manner, sir. Why, Flinter, by your own showing, was somewhere up in the Arctic ocean at the time the poison was administered to Mr Mauleverer. As for the book, you have not even shown that it belonged to him. Of course he may have been an accomplice of the real murderer, but for that murderer we are bound to look, not on board the Golden Hawk, but at Great Lorton Hall or in the immediate neighborhood."

"And was there nobody else whom you could suspect, without inflicting this degradation upon a woman for whose innocence I could vouch with my life?"

"I see you are deeply interested in the lady, Mr Fenton, and certainly she is a beautiful creature—as bonny a lass as I ever saw. I felt real sorry for her this morning. But I am afraid I must tell you we have not arrested Miss Stancliffe on mere suspicion."

"In heaven's name, what do you mean?" I demanded.

"Well, you have been quite frank with me, Mr Fenton, and I shall be equally frank with you. We have discovered, first, as I have told you, that Mr Mauleverer was poisoned by strychnia, and next that Miss Stancliffe had poison of that description in her possession shortly before his death."

"But even so—granting that she had the poison, of which I know nothing—it must have been got for some innocent purpose."

"Oh, that is a matter of course," he answered, in a jocular tone. "When you are going to poison one of your friends, you don't go the chemist's and say: 'Give me a dose of strychnia that I may get rid of old Brown.' It is always rats that you want it for. Miss Stancliffe was like everybody else. When she bought the poison she bought it for the benefit of the rats."

"But I assure you, I myself know that Lorton Hall swarmed with rats. I heard it from Miss Stancliffe's own lips while I was there."

Perhaps so; but it is unfortunate that it is not the rats, but Mr. Mauleverer, who has been killed. But I think we must wait a little before discussing this question. I shall be very glad if the poor young lady can be proved innocent. As for the story you have told me, I think we must now try and lay hold of Gregson. He may not be a prophet, but at all events we must admit that he made a lucky hit when he declared that murder would be done at Great Lorton."

"But may it not have been a case of suicide?"

"No," replied the chief constable, with emphasis. "I have thought it all over, and I cannot make it into suicide. You may depend upon it that it is a case of murder if it is anything at all."

The night was now far advanced, but I could not leave him until I had learned something as to the possibility of my being allowed to see Daisy. He told me that, if she herself desired it, he thought an interview between us might be managed without difficulty, and he promised to do everything in his power to further my wishes. I left him with an unshaken belief in my darling's innocence, but oppressed by the conviction that the evidence against her was strong, and that it was upon my wretched head that the responsibility for her present position must rest.

I passed a night of sleepless agony at the hotel. And here let me say that if I utterly fail to bring home to the mind of my reader all that I suffered and continued to suffer after learning the news of Daisy's arrest, it is not because I failed to realize my own share in that terrible event, nor because I was not bowed down to the earth with grief and remorse at the thought of the injury which I had unwittingly done to her. But my duty now is not to dwell upon my own feelings or to tell how I grew perceptibly older in a few hours; how before Daisy was brought to trial my hair was streaked with white, and my haggard face was hardly to be recognized by those who had known me before. I have to continue the story of that strange series of events which must be forever connected in my memory with the great tragedy of our lives. Let the reader, then, try to understand, without further words of mine, that I was well nigh mad with grief and horror at this period of my career, and that I should undoubtedly have been quite mad if it had not been for my overpowering consciousness of the fact that I had one paramount duty to discharge—the duty of rescuing my darling from the web of evil circumstances in which she had been enveloped.

It was not until I had spent two days of suspense at Barton that Mr Eastmead brought me the glad news that Daisy, having received the letter which I addressed her on the morning after my arrival in the town, had successfully applied to the magistrates for an order admitting me to the prison.

I found my beautiful darling in the office of the governor, for her position, her sex, and the fact that as yet she had not been committed for trial, enabled the prison officials to exercise a considerable degree of leniency in their treatment of her.

She was terribly changed since I had seen her last on that happy night when we plighted our troth in the garden at the old hall. The color was gone from her face, the beautiful lines of which had grown painfully sharp, her lovely eyes had the strained look which one sees in some noble animal of the desert when it is in confinement, and her figure, clad in the simple black dress, looked very frail and unsubstantial.

With a cry that went up from the very bottom of my heart I ran to her and clasped her in my arms, heedless of the presence of the matron. We were in a prison, she a captive lying under the most terrible of all accusations, I, the man who had been the wretched cause of her being brought there. Never surely in this world before did two lovers meet each other under circumstances so tragical. And yet I can declare before high heaven that in all my life there has been no hour more full of bliss than that which we spent there, in the mean room of the jail, under the hard eyes of the female warder, clasped in each other's arms and hardly speaking, save to exchange some word on my side of passionate devotion, on hers of a love as true and deep as mine, though a thousand times more pure and tender.

We were in prison.

Ah, let it pass, let it pass. I cannot put down here in cold blood all that transpired in that hour of holy joy, when our souls met and mingled together under that awful shadow of doom which each would so gladly have borne alone, if only the other might have been saved from it.

But before we could part on that day when, if ever in the pure eyes of the angels, two souls were made one under the awful baptism of sorrow, there was one task which I was compelled to discharge. A harder one was never laid upon me.

"My darling, you do not know everything," I said. "You do not know how I have wronged you, you can never imagine the cruel injury I have done you."

She looked at me with a smile as proud and bright and loving as that which a mother turns upon her first-born babe.

"Wronged me, Cyril! And you here, by my side, not afraid to share the pain and degradation in which I have been plunged! Do you think I could ever believe evil of you—even though you were your own accuser!"

"But—dearest—listen!" My voice was hoarse and low. "It was I who first suggested that your uncle had been poisoned. It was I who telegraphed to the police from Norway urging them to inquire into the matter."

For a moment she seemed puzzled, and then a smile that almost might be called one of gayety lit up her face.

"Ah, I see what you mean. But surely that is not what you can mean when you speak of having wronged me. You did what was right—what I myself would have done in your place. You suspected there had been foul play, and you behaved like an honest man. Ah, if I had only had your wit, do you think I would not have done as you did?"

"But oh, my love, my love! Do you not see that you might never have been here if I had not acted as I did?"

"Yes, and then I would never have known the real nature of the man with whose love God has blessed me. I would never have known that he was one who hurried across sea and land to be near me in my hour of trouble, and who was not afraid even of the shadow of shame, so long as he could share it with me."

The mercy of God is infinite, and sometimes it is breathed in its highest and purest form through the dear voice of a woman.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Nov 8.—The first Democratic Administration with which the Nation has been afflicted since Democratic statesmen plotted against the old flag in the Cabinet of James Buchanan, has been tried for twenty months. Through the November elections the country says, "enough." The fact that Democratic control of the House of Representatives is imperiled if not altogether lost, is no accident of politics; it means something. The Republicans were well satisfied with the facts and figures the day after election, but now they are jubilant. From California to Massachusetts there is an almost continuous succession of Republican gains. The few losses due to local causes are insignificant when compared with the many surprises of the opposite character. Colonel Morrison and Frank Hurd are gone, and the political atmosphere is full of farewells of the dying and mourning for the dead.

The Senate, too, is safe in Republican hands for at least two years from the fourth of next March. Harrison and not McDonald will be Senator Voorhees' next colleague, for Indiana came up on the right side, as did also California and Nevada, while old Virginia showed what she would have done last year if she had been permitted to elect.

The Democrats here are overwhelmed with surprise at their losses, and the result of the election is still the chief subject of discussion. Congressmen are now returning to Washington every day, many of them sadder but wiser men. I was thinking of the expression of disappointment the Democratic side of the House will present this winter. There will be about 30 of the more distinguished men of that party who will leave Congress next March, never to return, besides those of less importance.

Members of Congress have been greatly missed at the autumn races which have been in progress here for ten days. Last spring the Legislature attended in large numbers. Col. Morrison had just finished his tariff bill and was awaiting an opportunity to get it before the House when his own followers were at hand and when his enemies were off their guard. He thought the racing season would be a good time, but he soon learned that his Free Trade brethren were too fond of the horses to stay at the Capitol. The Kentucky delegation, his chief dependence, went to the race track in a body nearly every day, and all of Morrison's most earnest entreaties could not keep them away. Moreover the Republicans learned what he was up to, and resolved to wait patiently around so as to thwart his scheme. Several of the Kentucky Congressmen are excellent judges of horses, and know the records of leading racers much better perhaps than points in political economy.

The French guests who came to this country to participate in the ceremonies attendant upon the dedication of the Bartholdi statue, have been in Washington this week seeing the sights. They gave a banquet to the representatives of their government here, although the French Minister himself was absent from the city. They went to the White House, of course, to be introduced to the President. After the presentations had been made, Count De Lesseps made a little speech for his companions and the President made a little speech in reply. It has seldom happened that so many distinguished and representative Frenchmen have been in Washington at one time. Prince Napoleon was also here during the week to see the city.

As the Congressional session draws near, and the President has to prepare his annual message, it would seem time for him to abstain from the Fairs, statue, inaugurations, and anniversary celebrations, but he is going to take the Boston trip to be there next Monday, at the 250th anniversary of Harvard College. Arrangements for the visit have been perfected, and he will be the guest of the city and State authorities and will be accorded military and militia escorts, and will be escorted also by 1,000 Harvard students.

It seems that Mrs. Cleveland is going too, although this is a profound secret. The Secretary of War has been making very frequent visits to the White House during the past few days, which were not upon affairs of State. They were all about a quiet trip to Boston for Mrs. Cleveland, so that she might unexpectedly honor the Harvard celebration. As the plans now stand, she is to accompany Secretary and Mrs. Endicott to Boston, today, and be the guest of their relatives Mr. and Mrs. Mason, but no one knows what changed plans an hour may bring forth. R

PROTECTION IN VIRGINIA.

At the late election in Virginia, six of the ten members elected to represent that State in the Fiftieth Congress are Republicans. The square issue between Free Trade and Protection was made and the latter won. The Petersburg *Index Appeal*, one of ablest Democratic papers of Virginia, comments on the result as follows:

"The most intelligent interpretation of the meaning of the late election by both sides, so far as we have seen any expression, is that it was a distinct and emphatic endorsement of the American doctrine of protection. In fact, that doctrine was proclaimed, with but few exceptions, by both parties everywhere, and the more direct and frank declaration which the Republicans made enabled them to triumph over adversaries who resorted to more circumlocutory means of reaching the same end. In nearly every instance in which avowed free trade and protection met face to face, the former had to bite the dust. Carlisle, Morrison, Hurd, Holman, Springer and many other leaders the lights of lesser magnitude are all frightful examples of the fate which is sure to overwhelm the public man who puts himself in antagonism to the feelings and interests of a great nation.

Now the question is, will the Democratic party heed the lesson contained in the late elections or will it go on as a mere party of obstruction and opposition, wasting its time and energies in ineffectual efforts to stay the irresistible progress and tendency of the times and people, and dooming itself to a condition of perpetual minorityship? This is the alternative. Let the next national convention—discarding all such feeble evasions as "tariff for revenue," etc.—boldly proclaim itself in sympathy with the most progressive thought and feeling of the country. But if it will not do this, for God's sake, let it have the courage to say openly that it is for free trade, and let the issue be tried fairly and squarely before the people thereon."

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THE Republican candidate for Governor of Dakota has 20 000 majority

THE next Legislature in this State will have a Republican majority of 89 on joint ballot

THE prospects for a big time on the occasion of the inauguration of Governor Beaver are altogether flattering

IN the strong Democratic district of Westmoreland Fayette and Greene Welty McCullough Republican is elected to Congress by 400 majority

MRS J SIMPSON AFRICA wife of the Secretary of Internal Affairs died at her home in Huntingdon on Monday last after a sickness of nearly a year

THERE are no Mugwumps in Massachusetts now The Democratic party has absorbed them is the conclusion Congressman Collins draws from the Massachusetts campaign

INDIANA elects the Republican State ticket by over 3,000 majority The Legislature is close both parties claim a small majority on joint ballot A U S Senator is to be elected to succeed Harrison Republican The Republicans gain three Congressmen

THE Philadelphia Times suggests C L Magee of Pittsburgh as the right man for Secretary of the Commonwealth That appointment would be thoroughly endorsed by the Republicans of the State but would not be received with joy by the Democrats

THE official returns of the State have been received at Harrisburg from every county Beaver leads Black 42 851 and he has a clear majority of 5 505 Wolfe received 32 [illegible] votes in the State Osborne had the highest number of votes of all the candidates

IT is thought that Col D H Hastings of Bellefonte or Maj Wendell P Bowman of Philadelphia will be selected by Gen Beaver for Adjutant General Either would make a popular official and would fill the position to the entire satisfaction of the National Guard

ANY one of the following named gentlemen would fill the office of Attorney General with great credit John Stewart of Franklin county Marriott Brosius of Lancaster Carroll Brewster of Philadelphia J W Lee of Venango county George Shiras of Pittsburgh or Lyman D Gilbert of Harrisburg

THE Augusta Chronicle the leading Democratic paper of Georgia has this to say of the late election Virginia, West Virginia and North Carolina appear to be in a very shaky condition from a Democratic standpoint This mild reminder may be sufficient to warn the party that there is danger ahead in 1888

MR GUENTHER'S success in the Second district of Wisconsin is one of the marvels of the elections He represents the Sixth district in the present Congress but was defeated for renomination The Republicans of the Second district then nominated him as a forlorn hope Two years ago the Democratic majority was 3 222 Guenther carried every county and has a majority of 1 157 This is the district represented by Gen Bragg in the present Congress

THE Democratic tide has been seriously disturbed for several days past because of the action of the Governor in appointing a judge in Philadelphia He appointed a Republican by the name of Reed who is eminently qualified for the position The probability is that he failed to find a Democratic lawyer whose appointment would have been altogether judicious Instead of getting mad about it the Democratic papers should thank the Governor for getting out of the scrape so handsomely

IT is a significant fact that while the Republicans have gained several Congressmen in the border States of the South the list of Republican Congressmen from the Gulf States has entirely disappeared That is to say the Republicans of the Gulf States who are really a majority of the people in half, if not more of the Congressional districts will have no representation in the next House Such a result can be accounted for only by the fact that there is no such thing as an honest election any more in that part of the country and it is upon this fact that the Democratic party mainly relies for success in the next Presidential campaign St Louis Globe Democrat

UNDER the head of Mr Cleveland and the Irish the New York Sun one of the leading Democratic papers of the country says The Democratic opposition to Mr Cleveland in New York was mainly, though by no means exclusively among citizens of Irish origin There was the pinch of the difficulty in his case and so far as these citizens are concerned he has done nothing to win them back In truth, they are more intensely opposed to him now than they were two years ago This increased opposition is due to the absence in his words and ways of any evidence of sympathy with the cause of the Irish people But more than this, he went out of his path to select for his minister to England a gentleman who was known to be an antagonist and a contemner of the Irish cause Had Mr Cleveland appointed a different kind of a man to that office the result might have been different But, as it is, where only a portion of our fellow citizens of Irish origin were against him they are now almost all against him So are all sympathizers with Ireland."

SIXTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

The vote in this district for the past twelve years has been as follows

1874	Ross, R	Early D.
Tioga	3,458	1 713
Potter	1,166	915
McKean	922	924
Cameron	480	470
Lycoming	3,561	4 187
Sullivan	629	824
Total	10,649	9 231

1876	Mitchell, R	White, D
Tioga	5,779	2,763
Potter	1,540	1 368
McKean	1 614	1 522
Cameron	517	601
Lycoming	3,776	5,143
Sullivan	699	974
Total	13,575	12,067

J J Davis, Greenback received 1 785 votes.

1878	Mitchell R	Smith D	Davis G
Tioga	4 526	744	3,109
Potter	1 240	11	1 157
McKean	1 [illegible]	1 2?2	774
Cameron	438	702	357
Lycoming	3,086	2 893	4,273
Sullivan	424	597	413
Total	11 1?3	5 849	10 0??

1880	Walker R	Kirk F, D & G
Tioga	6,095	2,5?9
Potter	1,7??	1 42?
McKean	3,541	3,?11
Cameron	8??	[illegible]
Lycoming	5,191	6,7??
Sullivan	6??	1 023
Total	17 5?0	17 4?4

1882	Brown R	Early D	Stickle G
Tioga	3 ?47	2,2??	[illegible]
Potter	1 ?9?	[illegible]	546
McKean	2,?6?	2,0??	2?
Cameron	[illegible]	3?0	
Lycoming	1,611	4 1?2	1?
Sullivan	3?4	91?	1?
Total	12,??6	1? 747	1 7?4

1884	Brown R	Kennedy D	Brown P
Tioga	6,713	1,2??	?52
Potter	2,128	1 448	
McKean	3 ?2?	[illegible]	121
Cameron	?68	[illegible]	
Lycoming	?,?88	[illegible]	
Sullivan	?0?	1 1??	
Total	19 880	16,4?0	?57

And the official vote for the last election is

	McCormick R	Keenan D	Stewart P
Tioga	[illegible]	2,??	6?4
Potter	1 [illegible]	1 ?21	5?
McKean	2 72?	1 ?93	1?7
Cameron	713	612	[illegible]
Lycoming	?,67?	4 12?	?2
Sullivan	?57	847	10?
Total	17 8??	17 ??	1 47?

An examination of the foregoing figures present a few curious facts It will be seen that Mr Keenan received more votes than Mr Ross in 1874 or Mr Mitchell in 1878 and within 9 votes of as many as Mr Brown received in 1882 who were the successful candidates He received more votes than any distinctively Democratic candidate ever received in the district In 1878 Davis the Greenback candidate received 3 215 more votes than Smith the Democratic candidate and was only beaten 1 070 votes by Mitchell the Republican and successful candidate If the Democratic and Greenback vote had combined that year Mitchell the Republican candidate would have been beaten 4 773 votes Kirk the Fusion Democratic and Greenback candidate in 1880 received the largest vote ever polled in the district in opposition to the Republican candidate his vote being 17 4?4 and only 5? less than was received by Walker the Republican candidate Mr Brown the Republican candidate in 1884 received 19 880 votes which was the largest vote ever given a candidate in the district Mr Kennedy his Fusion opponent received 16 4?0 votes, which was nearly a thousand less than Kirk the Fusion candidate received four years before The vote of 1884 was the largest ever cast in the district footing up 36 8?7 The plurality received by Mr McCormick the Republican candidate this year of 1 826 was the largest ever received in the district The late election was probably the last that the several counties of the present 16th district will ever vote together for Congressman

HALL'S HOME POPULARITY

It seems that J K Polk Hall's popularity in Elk County was confined to one township, and that not his own His extra vote came from Jones township in which is located the Shultz tannery The last Advocate gives the following explanation why the staunch Republican township of Jones which gave Beaver nearly 200 majority cut so sorry a figure in this business It says

Let us look at the result in this county and see if Mr Hall has any reason to be so very proud of the vote he received The Democratic majority on the State ticket was 682 Mr Hall's majority was 1105 showing that he ran ahead of the state ticket 423 The vote in Jones township shows that Mr Hall received *according to their own figures* 387 Republican votes that if unmolested would undoubtedly have gone for Patton Taking this from the number of votes he received more than the State ticket, 423 proves pretty conclusively that the popularity and personal influence of "the noblest and most magnanimous Democrat in this district" amounts to just 36 votes The fact that Hall received 387 Republican votes in Jones township is not due to Mr Hall's popularity, but to the personal influence of a Republican by whom nearly all if not all of these 387 voters are employed and who knows best why it was necessary to make it imperative that they should cast their votes for Hall instead of following the bent of their own inclination and voting for Patton.

THERE was one result in the late election which made the Democratic heart "leap with joy" the morning following it It was reported that the Democratic candidate for Governor in Minnesota was elected This information however, proved delusive A despatch from St Paul to the New York *World*, (pretty good Democratic authority) a few days ago, points out "that the fight against McGill the Republican candidate for Governor, was largely a personal one and does not in any way indicate a decline of Republicanism in that State The other State officers were elected by nearly 15,000 majority, though McGill's majority will not reach 2000"

AS THE result of a wager on the Congressional election Alderman Donahoe of Albany, recently drove a team to a coal yard, paid for a ton of coal, shoveled it into a wagon himself, drove it to Congressman-elect Kane's residence and shoveled it into the cellar in the presence of an enthusiastic crowd The horses and wagon, according to the terms of the wager, were gayly decorated with the national colors.

U S SENATOR.

That Col Quay will succeed Hon. John I Mitchell in the U S Senate is about as thoroughly settled as any political problem can be sixty days in advance of its solution The delegations representing Philadelphia Allegheny, Lancaster and Schuylkill, have each held meetings and virtually unanimously voted to support him One gentleman in the Lancaster delegation said he was in favor of Col Quay's election, but he would not say he would vote for him until he "*conferred with his constituents*" One of the Philadelphia delegation thought there was no necessity for so much haste in reference to the selection of a Senator and he demurred somewhat but both these gentlemen will vote with the rest in caucus The action of these delegations gives Col Quay 66 votes and the Harrisburg *Telegraph* states, what is undoubtedly true, that he has pledges of support from individual members all over the State Since the Republican party became a factor in the politics of Pennsylvania, there has never been a time when the three delegations of Philadelphia, Allegheny and Lancaster acted as a unit that they failed in bringing about what they desired Therefore we consider the question of the next Senatorship settled and that if he lives Col Quay will be one of the representatives of Pennsylvania in the Senate of the United States for the next six years

That he will prove a creditable Senator those who know him best firmly believe There are a good many men in the State who would make more show and who would be heard oftener on the floor of the Senate but there is not a man in the broad Commonwealth who comprehends the needs of Pennsylvania and the way to care for them and protect them better than he He is also thoroughly conversant with national politics and it will be found before he has been a year in the Senate that his advice and counsel will be sought after and heeded as much as any man in that body It is a mistake to think that he will not be heard on the floor of the Senate for he will be and when he talks his arguments will show research and will carry conviction

We are well aware that there is some opposition to Col Quay's candidacy in this section of the State but knowing him as intimately as the writer of this has for the past 25 years and during an important campaign serving as Secretary of the State Committee when he was Chairman we have no hesitancy in expressing the opinion that he will prove not only faithful to the best interest of his constituents but one of the most capable and efficient Senators Pennsylvania has ever had

THAT VOICE WITH TWO TONES

The Voice represents itself to its readers as an ardent friend of temperance But the fact is that it is laboring primarily for the success of the third party movement that its chief end is politics not Prohibition It has shown that it can be counted upon to oppose any efforts looking to temperance reform that do not furnish grist for the third party mill An honest and earnest attempt was made by the [illegible] Legislature in behalf of a Prohibition amendment Where was *The Voice* in this fight, crying, and sparing not for the passage of the amendment? Not at all After the vote was taken *The Voice* remarked We are charged with having discouraged the friends of the effort to pass the Prohibitory amendment resolution through the Legislature *This may be true*

Confronted with this demonstration of its insincerity *The Voice* insists that it would appear to better advantage if the entire paragraph from which the above sentences were lately extracted by *The Tribune* was published Let us see Here is the entire paragraph

We are charged with having discouraged the friends of the effort to pass the Prohibitory amendment resolution through the New York Legislature and the Local Option bill through the New Jersey Legislature This may be true it may have discouraged them for we certainly had little faith ourselves in either effort Our lack of faith grew out of past failures along this line and was justified by the repetition of failure in each of the two cases cited We had no words of encouragement in either case because it would have been false encouragement as indeed the event showed We never antagonized either bill in the slightest degree on the contrary we expressed ourselves unqualifiedly in their favor But we did antagonize the trickery and intrigue of which both bills the latter more especially were made the occasion

What does this establish? It establishes that *The Voice* was playing a double game It may be true It is forced to admit that it discouraged the friends of Prohibition in the Legislature but then it never antagonized their bills It did indeed throw cold water on their efforts, but at the same time it expressed itself—talk being cheap unqualifiedly in their favor It chuckled in its sleeve when the amendment failed but there were big tears in its eyes as it chuckled. It was valiant for reform, but not to the extravagant extent of encouraging anybody

And yet the paragraph that makes the facts so clear *The Voice* was anxious to have us publish However it is to be said in palliation of *The Voice's* course in this matter that a temperance paper whose mainspring is not reform but the advancement of a political party labors under embarrassments of which the undiluted temperance journal knows nothing —*Tribune*

REV J M PALMER the colored candidate for Congressman at large was placed on that ticket expressly to capture the colored vote of the State To show the success of that move it is only necessary to refer to the vote of Philadelphia where the colored vote runs into thousands. In that city Mr Palmer ran 29 votes behind Wolfe, the Prohibition candidate for Governor The colored people are not fools. It will be some time before they will be made the instruments through which the interests of the Democratic party will be promoted, especially in supporting a man who had the effrontery to declare, as Mr Palmer did when accepting the nomination that the Republican party is entitled to no credit for freeing and enfranchising the colored men, and that both acts were dictated by purely selfish partisan motives.

An Office Vacant.

The following is a copy of the letter of resignation of Recorder Shaw, which was made public Saturday evening

BRADFORD, Pa. Nov 11 1886
To His Excellency, Robert E. Pattison, Governor of Pennsylvania

HONORED SIR By virtue of the provisions of the first sections of the act of the General Assembly of 24th March, Anno Domini 1877, I have the honor to and by these presents do resign my Commission as City Recorder of the City of Bradford Pa. to take effect on and after the 15th day of November, Anno Domini 1886

Respectfully
JAMES W SHAW
Recorder City

Mr Shaw gives no reason for his resignation but it is probably because of the doubts held as to the constitutionality of the act creating the office, strengthened by the decision of the Supreme Court as published in the *Star*

A special election will have to be ordered to choose his successor if one is chosen It is doubtful however if under the circumstances it will be thought advisable to fill an office the constitutionality of which is a matter of legal dispute

The retirement of Recorder Shaw is a matter of regret to all his friends whatever may have been the motive or cause He has held the position nearly six years having been re-elected last spring and while an official in that position cannot please both plaintiffs and defendants his decisions have generally been given with justice and equity and been sustained in the higher court His popularity among the masses of people is such that were he so minded he could retain the position through life *Star 15th*

THE DEFEAT OF MR. BARCLAY

A reputable gentleman from the lower end of Cameron county sends us for publication the following communication in reference to the defeat of Mr Barclay We know nothing about the sell out referred to but certainly Mr Barclay and his friends have reason to feel indignant at the treatment he received in the upper end of the county

SINNEMAHONING, Pa Nov 15

EDITOR MINER In your issue of last week in reference to the defeat of Mr Barclay you intimate that knowing the two candidates you would have thought that Mr Barclay would have drawn largely from the Democratic party Mr Barclay carried the Democratic portion of Cameron county with a largely increased majority over two years ago but suffered defeat in the Republican portion of the county by a complete sell out by his would be friends A more infamous outrage than this was never committed by the rebel Bourbons of the shot gun policy of Mississippi or of the tissue ballots of South Carolina It seems strange that men who were candidates for offices of dignity would stoop so low in political trickery to accomplish their own personal ends

Truly yours

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER

From our Regular Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Nov 13 Some members of the Forty Ninth Congress are already in Washington others are on the way In a few days the Government will resume work for a session that will last just three months There are indications that the session will open industriously The Chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations Mr Randall proposes to come soon and get things in readiness for the meeting of his committee which is to take place if a quorum can be brought together on the 22nd This is in order to have a bill ready to be reported at the opening of the session

Hon Mr Hewitt says he is anxious to remain in Congress as long as possible He would have preferred to carry out his work here but the Mayoralty was forced upon him He wants to push the Administrative Tariff bill to passage before he resigns and had hoped to remain in his seat after he had taken the oath of office as Mayor but by the Legislature of New York a man cannot hold a Federal and Municipal office at the same time

The so called police scandal of Washington has attracted considerable attention and the President has taken hold of the matter It is all about an alleged scheme of the city police to collect damaging facts about the private lives of Congressmen with a view to forcing them to vote for appropriations for the District of Columbia If the story is not exaggerated it affords insight into the demoralization of public affairs which has long existed in Washington

The President's Boston trip seems to have done him good He has been smiling and jovial ever since and unusually gracious to his East Room callers His country home has a new name—Oak View It has been variously named by other people but this time it is said to have been christened by the owner himself Oak trees surround the house and it commands a picturesque view in all directions

The valuable relics formerly belonging to General Grant and bequeathed by the Vanderbilt estate to the Government are now being classified at the National Museum where they will soon be exhibited to the public The collection was packed in fifteen large boxes, and will take a good deal of space when placed in glass cases And space is the desideratum now at the Museum The director of the institution is loudly bewailing its wealth of resource and poverty of space and says a new structure is an immediate necessity In his annual estimates for the Museum he asks Congress to appropriate $250 000 for this purpose, proposing to flank the Smithsonian building on the west as the present Museum flanks it on the east The 100 000 feet of exhibition space in this building is found totally inadequate, and how to find room for the Government mementoes and for the articles contributed by the Japanese Government now on their way here, illustrating all the useful and ornamental arts of that curious people are among the problems which the Museum authorities say they are unable to solve

Thousands upon thousands of interesting objects which are as truly a means of popular education as any of those already exhibited, are prepared for display now, but they have to remain stored away in cellars, crypts and garrets A number of wooden structures near by the Museum are also packed from floor to ceiling with rich materials which have not been touched by the scientists A hundred tons also of exhibits shipped from the Centennial Exposition ten years ago, have never been opened

The officers say it is not intended or possible to put on exhibition more than a fraction of the mass of materials which will be in their possession Many of the exhibits will be but the indices of those held in reserve, which will remain packed with a view to economy of space and accessibility for study The Museum has three principle sources of supply 1st. By law all the collections made by the scientific bureaus of the Government, the geological, ethnological, coast survey, and fish commission become the property of the Museum after they have served the original purposes of their collectors. 2nd Foreign Museums in all parts of the world send off their surplus in exchange for surplus material shipped abroad, and 3d, private collectors donate the contents of their cabinets to an institution which is expected to have perfect facilities for study, comparison and display The current accessions are sufficient to fill a little museum every year R

THE corrected returns from the 7th Congressional district of South Carolina gives the election to Elliott, the Democratic candidate by a majority of 707 over Smalls, the Republican candidate" This is the dispatch which was sent from Charleston on Sunday last This 7th district was made by a rebel Legislature, and embraces the "black" counties of the State When the district was made the counties of the "black belt" were grouped to such an extent that it was not thought possible for the district to ever be represented by a Democrat If the colored people were permitted to vote the Republican majority would be overwhelming The shoestring district of Mississippi is also made up of counties lying along the Mississippi river in which there are from two to three black voters for every white one And yet this district will also be represented by a Democrat in the next Congress These men are elected by intimidation and frauds of the most infamous character and it is through such agencies that the democrats hold their supremacy in Congress

Chief Arthur's Wise Words

Mr P M Arthur chief executive officer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, at the recent convention of that order in New York gave utterance to the following

If you would have name fame or wealth work for them

Right is the only lasting foundation upon which a man can build

The workingmen of to-day may be the capitalist of five or ten years from now

No man has a right to anything which has not come to him through the channels of honest acquirement

What we are and what we have accomplished is the result of long continued patient work and it behooves us to be extremely cautious how we interest ourselves where there is nothing to gain but everything to lose

That a good labor organization is a good thing we maintain but that a heterogeneous mass of men engaged in various occupations and [illegible] can effectively form an organization which shall serve all and with equal justice we very much doubt

Much has been said and more written concerning the antagonism between labor and capital I only [illegible] there is no such thing Between work and idleness there has never been any feeling other than antagonism, and it is those of the latter class who are attempting to poison the minds of the industrious

There seems to be generally prevalent an idea that all capitalists are rich whereas the truth is that no great business enterprise is owned and controlled by one man but by many each contributing his mite towards the mighty whole I will venture to say that most men of thrifty industrious habits are capitalists

Neither the capitalist nor the laborer is always in the wrong No one will justify [illegible] The simple statement of the case will command public sympathy and approval On the other hand the public at large will promptly condemn the willful destruction of property and the interruption of business

I am pleased to know that our relations to railway officers are of the most friendly character and trust that nothing will occur to change them in the slightest degree The loyalty and devotion to principles of the brothers employed on the Texas Pacific and Missouri Pacific roads during the recent strikes have convinced railroad managers that a contract with the brotherhood will be kept inviolate and that they will not hesitate in the future to enter into one when circumstances require it

An Independent's Opinion

John Stewart, the able and fearless leader of the Independent revolt of 1882 didn't accept Beaver as his candidate for Governor in 1886 and affect not to understand its meaning He knew exactly that a Republican victory with Beaver at the head of the ticket meant Quay for United States Senator as Quay's signal triumph for State Treasurer made him master of the political situation and knowing the logic of events he does not sulk or growl over the inevitable The Chambersburg *Public Opinion* the journal that reflects the views of Mr Stewart in political matters discusses the Senatorial question in its last issue and sensibly disposes of it by saying frankly that Quay has it in his own hands and that he will make as good a representative as we have had in recent years It says But why discuss this question? That should have been done prior to the county conventions It should have been fought in those gatherings It is now for the Legislature to say who shall be Pennsylvania's representative in the National Senate and if Colonel Quay desires to be that man there is nothing to prevent him from being gratified except a remarkable change of public sentiment, which is highly improbable While not everything that could be desired Colonel Quay would make as good a representative as any we have had in recent years, and it must be admitted by all that he is, as we observed above fitted for the place even though he may not be able to outshine the representatives of some of our sister States in debate or vie with them in talent as would some other Pennsylvanians whom we could name So we are satisfied to let the Legislature make its own selection feeling certain that whoever the lucky individual may be he will not be less of a statesman or a scholar than other men whom we have so honored in the last decade'—Philadelphia *Times*

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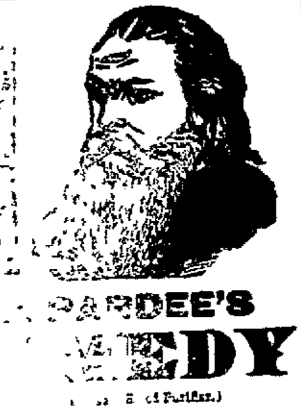

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First and final account of John B [illegible]barts Administrator of estate of Polly Messenger deceased.

J M McELROY Register
H M CHOATE Deputy

Smethport Pa Nov 15 1886

Notice in Divorce.

A D No 2 May Term 1886.

McKEAN COUNTY ss.—THE COMMONwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said county Greeting

Whereas Venus A Galvin, by her next friend [illegible] P Abbott did on the twenty second day of February 1886, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said county praying for the causes therein set forth she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Thomas Galvin

We therefore command you the said Thomas Galvin that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the [illegible] Monday of Dec next, to answer the petition or libel of said Venus A Galvin and show cause, if any you have why the said Venus A Galvin your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided Herein fail not

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GEORGE [illegible]

Smethport, Nov. 2, 1886.-3t

Receiver's Notice.

J C Hughes vs. Robt. R Jones and Martin G Brink } In the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County, October term, [illegible] In E[illegible]

In the matter of the account of [illegible]geon, Receiver

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J M McElroy
Pro[illegible]

Smethport, Nov. 1—3t.

Estray.

A dark red cow about six years old came to my premises about [illegible] The owner will be given possession of [illegible] proving ownership and paying charges [illegible]

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Smethport Pa

[illegible] next Thursday [illegible] are receiving their [illegible] to record the chilling [illegible] is now at home in his [illegible] store [illegible] has been horrid in [illegible] back [illegible] King among the [illegible] the borough [illegible] Concert Company are [illegible] Wright House [illegible] dealers were selling [illegible] cents per pound [illegible] as well as banks [illegible] street bridge water [illegible] Labor Assembly of [illegible] store of N W [illegible] has just shipped two [illegible] county butter [illegible] from this place took [illegible] concert at Bradford [illegible] last [illegible] has broken ground for [illegible] King street opposite the [illegible] Mechanic street mill has [illegible] three weeks [illegible] Harris [illegible] received too late [illegible] found [illegible] the year that [illegible] Miss [illegible] has legal charge of Prof [illegible] in our public [illegible] Notwithstanding the great amount [illegible] has fallen during the past [illegible] up to date [illegible] Post 347 G. A. R. [illegible] the annual [illegible] will take place [illegible] Nov 25th [illegible] Indian Summer and heat [illegible] his house [illegible] proprietors of the [illegible] Emporium will give a [illegible] ball at the Opera [illegible] Thanksgiving eve [illegible] recently occupied by [illegible] putting in order for [illegible] Woman's Christian Temper[illegible] for holding their [illegible] Miner are the [illegible] Harrisburg letters and [illegible] The Democrat [illegible] from this [illegible] B & [illegible] evening last for the [illegible] wish [illegible] three days fair and [illegible] Black [illegible] orchestra [illegible] John Perry bled [illegible] the headwaters of [illegible] last in pursuit of [illegible] But they [illegible] very [illegible] get in sight [illegible] officers of McKean [illegible] the ensuing year [illegible] the [illegible] on Wednesday [illegible] in the [illegible] back will not [illegible] less $4.00 [illegible] reason [illegible] the interest lower [illegible] Campbell will visit [illegible] for the purpose of [illegible] examinations Port [illegible] Norwich, Nov 22 [illegible] Clermont Nov 26 [illegible] bucks on exhi[illegible] Mark Armstrong's [illegible] they were killed on [illegible] creek by two well [illegible] of that section [illegible] Erhart [illegible] carnival which was held [illegible] on Wednesday [illegible] of success, consider[illegible] of the weather The [illegible] with corn dodgers [illegible] formula. [illegible] Esq has severed his [illegible] Ridgway *Advocate* [illegible] that paper has be[illegible] leading papers of that [illegible] county It will hardly [illegible] with another at [illegible] ownership of the Kane *Leader* [illegible] this week T J Malone [illegible] interest in the same to [illegible] Publishing Company. Mr [illegible] retained as the editor of [illegible] new order of things, [illegible] *Leader* will not lose by the [illegible] Post 347 G A R. [illegible] a fine lot in Rose Hill [illegible] on Thursday last consid[illegible] into a fine, and with the [illegible] of trunks, graded [illegible] shape Next spring the [illegible] the deceased comrades, now [illegible] cemetery, will be trans[illegible] *Venture* is the name of [illegible] which made its first ap[illegible] in Corry Erie county, on the [illegible] It is a five-column paper and [illegible] by Northrup Bros, who [illegible] how to secure adver[illegible] *Venture* was "chock full" [illegible] This is evidence that it [illegible] some solid "venture."

—The cold wave has struck Smethport.

—Bradford has abandoned the paving job until spring.

—Our merchants are making preparations for the holiday trade.

—A. T. Palmer has added a carriage room to his livery barn on Water street

—Mason is just opening up some of the handsomest decorative ware ever seen in this market

—Landlord Vincent has converted the livery barn lately occupied by F B Dean into a feed stable.

—The Empire Transit line commenced running its Special Fast Oyster Trains from Baltimore and the Oyster beds in Delaware and Maryland to Olean on the 10th inst

We are indebted to the Bradford Typographical Union for a complimentary to their Second Annual Ball to be held in Orpheus Hall on Thanksgiving evening Sorry that other engagements prevent our attending

—Dr Bates Concert Company will give entertainments at Hatfield's Opera House Thursday Friday and Saturday evenings of this week These entertainments are worth attending. In fact they are delightful The admission fee is only 10 cents, therefore there is no excuse for not attending

—"Squire Smith has proved himself to be a reliable weather prophet He said last week that winter was not going to set in until all the wells and springs were replenished And from the amount of rain that has fallen during the last forty eight hours we are led to believe that every well that has a bottom to it must be full up to the curb with water

—The distinctly literary flavor of the forthcoming Scribner's Magazine will be maintained by the editors and publishers very carefully while on the other hand the new periodical will be kept free from that class of articles which makes the specific gravity of a magazine too formidable for the general reading public The illustrated matter will leave nothing to be desired" *The Independent* New York

The stone quarrying business in this section is destined at no distant day to be one of our leading industries No finer building or flag stone can be found anywhere than the quarries near this place are capable of furnishing, and now that capitalists have taken hold of the matter with the determination of developing them we have no doubt that all of our citizens will feel the quickening influence of this new business enterprise.

H. S. Sartwell Esq of this place has leased the Opera House in Olean and is preparing to take possession The large addition which has recently been built will be newly furnished and much of the old part will be re-furnished Mr Sartwell was formerly proprietor of the Central Hotel of this place and has thorough knowledge of the hotel business He will capture most of the patronage from the south

The Emporium *Independent* says Mrs E R Townsend of Bridgeton N J under date of Nov 15, writes us We are having very pleasant weather roads in fair condition I wish I could hand in a bouquet to sister from our yard Everything is looking green and fresh The day Monday that letter was written the able bodied citizens of McKean county were plodding through from six to ten inches of snow

The Arbutus Club has been reorganized for the winter's campaign and will give the first of a series of popular hops at the Opera House on next Friday evening Nov 26 Prof Black's celebrated orchestra of Bradford has been engaged to furnish the music The Arbutus Club's receptions last winter were enjoyable affairs and we have every reason to believe that this season's series of entertainments will not be any exception to the general rule

Dr S J Charlton one of the eminent homoeopathic physicians of this State died at his residence in the city of Harrisburg on Tuesday morning the 9th inst aged 69 years He was well known through the State having attended more families of members of the Legislature in his case of illness than any other physician of that city He was an affectionate husband and father and a devoted friend and his death will be deeply mourned by all who knew him

A young chap who comes to town quite frequently for the purpose of having a tussel with the notorious John Barleycorn was seen sadly meandering down street the other day and every once in a while he would reach up and pluck from his hair a handful of imaginary bees and cast them to the ground and stamp on them This was not an edifying spectacle for grown up people but a half a dozen or more young boys thought differently and found any amount of sport in following the poor wretch up and pelting him in the back with snow balls

We have received from Messrs Moore and Sibley of New York a magnificent engraving entitled The World's Exchanges. It is a group of the great money institutions of the world showing the buildings in which the daily transactions aggregate many hundreds of millions of dollars The buildings shown are the Stock Exchange of New York Board of Trade Chicago, Bank of England London Bourse Paris Stock Exchange Frankfort Hamburg Stock Exchange, Frankfort Stock Exchange Berlin and Bourse Brussels

—Ex Gov Pillsbury and brothers own three immense flouring mills at Minneapolis Minnesota. The largest mill manufactures over 6,000 barrels of flour every day and has the largest capacity of any flouring mill on the world. Messrs Taylor & Parker the young and enterprising grocerymen of this place sell the brand of flour made at this mill which is known as "Pillsbury's best," and which is considered in the New York market as one of the best brands made. They also sell other brands, as well as choice groceries and provisions of every character Read their advertisement in another column and then give them a call

Neighbor Hughes of the *Reporter* is of the opinion that the man who stops that paper because its editor does not run a political campaign according to his taste, makes a great mistake We do not see how any reasonable man could complain of the course the *Reporter* took in the late campaign as it stoutly maintained from the first that it believed the Democratic party was going to triumph in this county at the polls on the 2nd of November A sensible man than brother Hughes would have hesitated long before making such a sweeping prediction and for this reason if for no other we are inclined to the opinion that the man who stopped his *Reporter* because it was not run to the Queen's taste is claiming everything, and getting scarcely nothing did make a big mistake

Baptist Church

Services next Sunday at the usual hours Subject for the morning discourse "Effectual Prayer" Evening "Truth" Rev C H Michelmore will also preach at Colegrove Sunday at 3 o'clock p m

Death of Adam Martin.

The news reached us this Thursday morning just before going to press, that Adam Martin Esq of Sergeant township, died at his home in that township Wednesday afternoon at 15 minutes before 3 o'clock Mr Martin was about 80 years of age and was one of the oldest citizens of this county He was a man of high sterling traits of character and was highly esteemed by all the people of this section of country who were acquainted with him He has been very much out of health for a year or two and for two or three months past his death has been expected at any time by his friends.

St Luke's Church

Thanksgiving day services Nov 25th at 10:30 a m There will be a selection given from the young pupils of Prof Bruce who will take the 1st and 2nd treble, to be reinforced by cornet and tenor instruments to sustain the chorus of children's voices. The musical selections will consist of the old and well known tunes, such as "Old Hundred," "Park Street," "Antioch," and Hollar's "Ancient Hymn," in which all can join, and make a service of grand congregational praises.

Service on Sunday 21st, at 8 and 10.30 a. m. and at 7 p m

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PERSONAL MENTION

We would deem it a favor if those having friends visiting in this place would notify us by postal or by leaving a note at this office.

Philo Ackley, Esq., of Turtlepoint was in town this week.

Father Patterson, of Hartwell, was in town Monday last.

Hon C H Foster of Bradford, was in town on Wednesday

J. E Griffith, of Kane, was a guest at the Wright House on Tuesday

Landlord Taylor of the Grand Central is on a business trip in the west

M B Greer of the Commissioners office was in Bradford on Tuesday

Hon M F Elliott of Wellsboro was in attendance at court this week

W W Brewer the popular landlord of Mt Jewett was in town on Tuesday last

Edward McSweeney Esq of Bradford, was in attendance at argument court this week

Messrs A M and M A Dilbridge, of Port Allegany were in town on Tuesday

Lawyers Roberts and Jack of Bradford, were registered at the Wright House this week

P I Kennedy, one of Bradford's solid men was in attendance as witness upon court this week

Prof W L Meston, principal of our graded school is visiting Pittsburg friends this week

Wm H Martin Esq of Cambridgeport Mass, was a welcome caller at this office a few days since

Rev F P Hubbell of Mt Morris N Y was visiting his many friends in this place a couple of days this week

Dr F S Wells, of Buffalo, is visiting his brothers Dr S J Wells and Harry Wells the druggist, of this place

Hon Henry Hamlin and Hon Robert H Rose were looking after their interests in the Washington oil field this week

Lawyers Cotter and Mayo of Eldred were heard in court this week as usual How could court be held without them?

Mrs A J [illegible] who has been sojourning in the west the past few weeks returned to her home in this place Saturday last

Brother Hughes of the Port Allegany *Reporter* was in town early in the week but failed to let us look upon him Perhaps he's mad about election Hope not

Brother Gould of the Eldred *Eagle* and Dr Morgan the man who extracts teeth free of charge at the Opera House the balance of the week made the MINER a pleasant call yesterday

Hon J W Ives Capt W B Chapman Hon R B Stone Eugene Mullin F W Hastings J K Wilson Geo F Sturgeon and Ernest Koester were all in attendance upon court this week and were guests at the Grand Central

Our old friend Fred Nurse formerly of this place who has been prospering for the past five years in Lincoln Neb was pretty detained here by the serious illness of his wife Their many friends hope for her speedy recovery

In order to impress the general reader's mind with what we carry in stock this fall we will respectfully announce that we carry a full line of foreign and domestic piece goods which we manufacture to order in suits, overcoats or single garments we carry a large stock of men's youths boys and children's suits overcoats and single garments Our gents furnishing goods department consists of the best makes of white and fancy shirts underwear in flannels and cotton of all grades our stock of gents hosiery is enormous and the world our silk handkerchiefs and mufflers can nowhere be excelled in style and quality we carry also a fine line of silk umbrellas specially adapted for fine holiday gifts In hats and caps we take the cake having them from 15 cents up to $10 Don't waste any time but go right away to I Dornberg's Eldred Pa and purchase whatever you need and be happy the rest of your natural life

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A REILLY
Smethport Nov 11 1886 3t

A Diabolical Crime

EATED Kan November 10 —A terrible tragedy has occurred near Marine in the extreme southeast corner of Hodgeman county Seven years ago Miss Lowber a neighborhood beauty was married to Sam Purple a man of bad reputation They never lived very happily together and Purple's violence culminated Friday morning last in the murder of part of his family and in his own death at the hands of an enraged mob three days later At the time of the murder his family consisted of seven persons himself his wife his wife's sister and four little children the youngest of which was only a few weeks old Friday morning his wife arose as usual and prepared breakfast she then went to waken her husband which so enraged him as to incite him to the heinous crime which followed

He sprang from his bed and seizing his revolver shot his wife though the body from which wound she died at once The new born babe was next fired at with the same result He next shot and killed another of his children His sister in law Miss Lowber was then fired at the ball passing through the arm and lodging somewhere in the shoulder As this emptied his revolver he proceeded to load his shotgun in order to complete the work A single mistake in this was the only thing that stopped the deadly proceedings The powder was poured into one barrel and by error he shot into the other With this he endeavored to blow off the head of another child but as there was nothing except powder in the barrel the child's face was only severely burned by the explosion

A heavy blanket was wrapped around the suffering child and this securely wrapped with a heavy wire in the hope that he might accomplish by suffocation what he had failed in by the use of the shotgun The child will recover although fearfully disfigured about the face The murderer then mounted a horse and started across the field toward Marine, with the avowed purpose of murdering his wife's father and mother Before he could accomplish this however the wounded young lady had made her way to the village and notified the inhabitants of what had happened and they had come to go at full of assistance Seeing that his plan was frustrated Purple hastened to Jetmore and surrendered himself to the authorities, where he was placed in jail surrounded by a heavy guard Last night a mob of about one hundred men went quietly to the jail and demanded the prisoner who was delivered with a little ceremony He was then taken back to the scene of his crime and hanged to a tree. Only one member of the family escaped serious injury and that was the murderer's little boy who had hid under his bed when he heard his father coming

This man Purple was well known by citizens of this county They say that he had an ungovernable temper and while under the influence of liquor he was usually a terror not only to his family but to the entire neighborhood in which he lived It is thought that the terrible deed recorded above was committed during a fit of delirium tremens of which he has had several during the past few years

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Thanksgiving Services.

Union services for the Baptist and Methodist churches will be held in the Baptist church on Thanksgiving day Rev Wm Bradley will preach and the subject of his discourse will be "The stability and prospective greatness of the American Republic." The Methodist church was designated in the pulpits last Sabbath as the place for holding the services but the change has been made since then.

LITERARY NOTES.

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PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for December that old favorite is before us, ahead of all others It may be called a "prize number" It has two splendid steel-engravings one Meadow Sweet" as lovely as we ever saw and a title-page with a beautiful girl's face also unrivalled in fact "Peterson" is now the only magazine that goes to the expense all the year through of these costly and elegant original steel engravings. There is also a mammoth colored fashion plate likewise engraved on steel and colored by hand—a perfect love of a thing" as the ladies would say as well more there is a colored pattern in Berlin work and as would sell for fifty cents, but which is given gratis to subscribers for a Christmas-gift Beside these there are some fifty wood-cuts of fashions embroidery and crochet patterns etc The literary contents more than maintain the long-established reputation of "Peterson" as giving the best original stories Mrs Ann S Stephens, Frank Lee Benedict Edgar Fawcett, Mrs John Sherwood etc etc being regular contributors. We do not see how any lady or any family can be without this magazine, its tone is always high and pure so it is just the one for the home-circle The price is but Two Dollars a year To clubs, it is cheaper yet four copies for six dollars and forty cents, with an extra copy to the person getting up the club For larger clubs, costly premiums are given in addition Specimens sent gratis, if written for so that there may be no deception Now is the time to get up clubs Address CHAS J PETERSON 306 Chestnut Street Philadelphia, Pa

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Dietetic Fallacies

1 That there is any nutriment in beef tea made from extracts. There is none whatever

2 That gelatine is nutritious It will not keep a cat alive Beef tea and gelatine however possess a certain reparative power we know not what

3 That an egg is equal to a pound of meat and that every sick person can eat eggs. Many especially those of nervous or bilious temperament, cannot eat them and to such eggs are injurious

4 That because milk is an important article of food it must be forced upon a patient Food that a person cannot endure will not cure

5 That arrowroot is nutritious It is simply starch and water useful as a restorative quickly prepared.

6 That cheese is injurious in all cases It is, as a rule contra-indicated being usually indigestible but it is concentrated nourishment and a waste repairer and often craved

7 That the cravings of a patient are whims and should be denied The stomach often needs, craves for and digests articles not laid down in any dietary Such are for example fruit pickles, jams, cake ham or bacon with fat cheese, butter and milk

8 That an inflexible diet may be marked out which shall apply to every case Choice of a given list of articles allowable in a given case must be decided by the opinion of the stomach The stomach is right and theory wrong and the judgment admits no appeal

A diet which would keep a healthy man healthy might kill a sick man and a diet sufficient to sustain a sick man would not keep a well man alive Increased quantity of food, especially of liquids, does not mean increased nutriment rather decrease since the digestion is overtaxed and weakened Strive to give the food in as concentrated a form as possible Consult the patient's stomach in preference to his cravings and if the stomach rejects a certain article do not force it —*Journal of Reconstructives*

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NO. IV.

The dug-outs are made by digging into the side of a knoll or the bank of a creek, with enough built above ground, of sod or boards, to admit of small windows, next to the roof, which look like the ventilations to an out-door cellar from the out-side, and give one the impression of being in a prison or an old-fashioned school house from the inside, and are roofed and "finished off" much the same as the sod houses.

We saw none of the large herds of cattle of which we had read, and which we expected to see, only those of from forty to fifty in number, and many still smaller Upon inquiring the reason, we were told that from half to two-thirds of the live stock was starved and frozen to death during the terrible blizzards of last winter, many cattle owners losing whole herds of an hundred, or more. Our informant said, "He reckoned they'd learn that cattle couldn't live in Kansas without shelter an' fodder no more 'n they could out east." Appropos to his statement, we saw, in the distance, some men putting up hay "Do you make hay here at this time of year?" "Oh, yes, we ken make hay here 'till Christmas, pervidin' the heavy rains don't come on, they soak the good out of it so 'tain't worth much" There is no clover or timothy here What do you make your hay of?" "Of blue stem an' rover grass, mostly, 'specially o' blue stem, that's a critter's first choice for fodder, an' they like the buffalo grass best fur grazin'." "What, that short, dry stuff! it doesn't look as though there were any taste or substance to it?" "But there is, though, an' the cattle an' ponies 'll get right fat on it 'Taint altogether in the grass yur see on top, it's full o' roots down under, that the critters eat, an it's most as good as corn an' oats fur 'em.

We also saw that there were barns being built of sod, which are warmer than if made of boards, and with plenty of good feed, are blizzard proof, and rude sheds made of poles, placed upright in the ground, with a sort of frame on top covered with sod, or thatched with hay, corn or sorghum stalks, which was further proof that the cattle men of the west are learning that cruelty carelessness and neglect do not pay in dealing with dumb brutes any more than in any other deal. The hay, or "fodder," which consists of corn stalks, sorghum, or rice corn, is never put under shelter, but put up in long low ricks, over which are thrown a cover of canvass, or pieces of rope or wire to which heavy stones are attached to keep it from being blown away

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The management of the Buffalo Rochester & Pittsburgh has decided on a change which will be of great importance to Bradford The shops of the company will be concentrated at that place those at Rochester and this city being retained simply for light repairs. All of the heavy work has heretofore been done at the Lincoln Park shops Another important change will be the transfer of all the train dispatchers of the road to Bradford which is now the headquarters of the Pittsburgh division This will result in the removal of the dispatchers from both Buffalo and Rochester, and will probably be the means of reducing the staff

Baptist Sociable.

There will be a sociable at the residence of J F McLeish, Esq, on Main street, this (Friday) evening, for the benefit of the Baptist Sunday school connected with the Baptist church. All are invited

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CLERMONT CHATTINGS

B S H Are you dead? If not let us hear from you

Mr and Mrs. Samuel Bedford spent a few days in Buffalo last week

Mr Adam Martin is still very low

Mr and Mrs. Arthur Nichols spent Sunday in Buffalo.

C H Moore spent all last week in Buffalo, purchasing his winter stock

J F Keating went out one morning last week before beakfast, and shot a big buck

Phillip Hafner of Wernwag creek, was in town a short time last week He was on his way to the woods

Jacob Amond has been the lucky hunter this season He brought one deer home on Saturday and three on Monday

"Job" will not go to housekeeping this winter He can not under any circumstance find any one to do the cooking

The Port Allegany *Reporter* will not suspend publication "Job" will continue his services for the next six months.

Our esteemed friend "Job" has struck an idea," and the "idea (sic) will be sprung on the readers of his paper this week

DOOLEY DOOLE
Clermont November 17th

Court Proceedings.

Court convened on Monday at 2 o'clock The following cases were disposed of up to Wednesday evening

Lewis Steinhauer vs. B L Cartwright and John Embler Verdict against defendants for the sum of $800 and costs

I T Stockdale trustee of the Pittsburgh Savings Bank, for use of B C Christy receiver of same Verdict in favor of defendant

N T Saunders, now for use of A I Roberts vs Thomas Kervin, Verdict against defendant for the sum of $3,915 52

F H Bailey vs John Rider, John McDougal A J Avery F L Williams and C F Hequembourg Verdict against defendants for the sum of $1 135 38

Com vs. Mrs. Mark Bailey Discharged and sentence postponed.

R. J Carten vs. The Kittanning Insurance Co Verdict against defendant for the sum of $845.

C C Melvin vs. G W Mitchell et al Petition for preliminary injunction Rule to show cause granted

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Court Proclamation.

The Hon. A. G OLMSTED President Judge, and the Hons. H. HAMLIN and P. M. FULLER, Associate Judges of the court of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery, quarter sessions of the peace, orphans' and court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean, have issued their precept, bearing date Friday, October 8th, 1886, and to me directed, for holding a court of common pleas, at the borough of Smethport, on Tuesday, the 7th day of Dec., 1886, and to continue one week.

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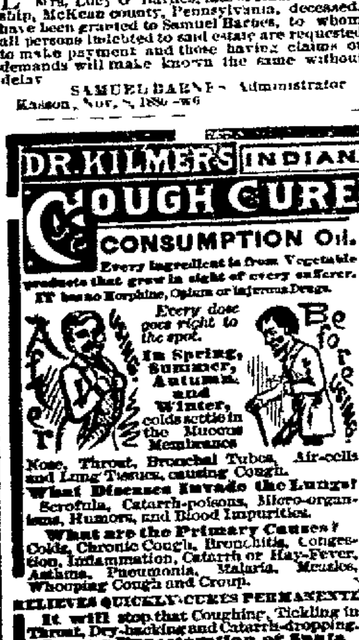
SAMUEL BARNES Administrator
Kasson, Nov. 5, 1886 -w6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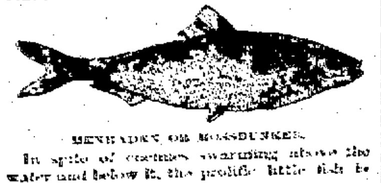
SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

THE FISH FROM WHICH FERTILIZERS ARE MADE.

Co-operative Farming in England—Interesting Scientific Facts—The Little Mossbunker a Fish Bone of Contention. Every Creature is His Enemy.

A real hot dispute is going on between the shore fishermen and the steamer fishermen engaged in the menhaden industry along the New York and New England coast. The menhaden is a fish which is the chief dependence for manure on Long Island and other parts of the north Atlantic coast.

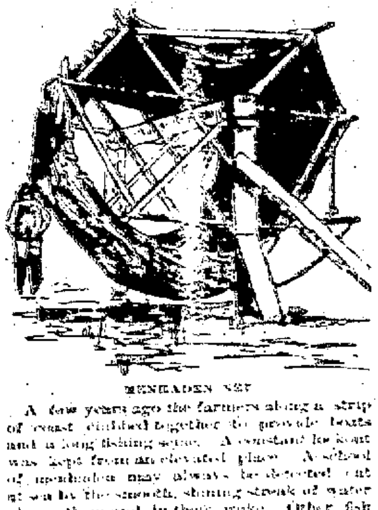
The common name of the menhaden is mossbunker. During the summer months it comes near the coast in great shoals for the purpose of spawning. It is not much of a fish for eating, except early in the spring. But for a fertilizer of the soil, and for furnishing oil, the mossbunker is unexcelled. Everybody's hand is against it. Man makes fish oil of it and commercial fertilizers out of what is left after the oil is pressed out. Other fish eat it by the million. It is a part of the regular diet of the warlike and much prized blue fish.



MENHADEN OR MOSSBUNKER.

In spite of enemies swarming above the water and below it, the prolific little fish is caught by millions and millions every summer. It is a small fish of the shad family, brownish green above, white below and rainbow hues all over. It has a black spot upon its shoulder, if a fish can be said to have a shoulder.

The mossbunker fisheries are changing in character of recent years, and hence the trouble between the shore farmers and the steamers. A powerful, snorting little steam tug takes in tow half a dozen or more great open, striped scows. It steams out along the coast anywhere from half a mile to five miles from land, anchors where there is a shoal of mossbunkers and the fleet proceed to fish by wholesale. The "bunkers" are taken by the hundred thousand in purse nets and tumbled into the boats. After several days, when all the scows are full, then the fleet starts home, trailing an odor behind it which "smells to heaven." Factories are built at intervals along the coast. Here the laden boats are towed and their contents converted into oil and fertilizers, and here for a tolerably steady thing there is smelling to heaven the year around. That is the new fashioned way of mossbunker fishing. A relic of the old fashioned way is seen in the illustration.



MENHADEN NET.

A few years ago the farmers along a strip of coast clubbed together to provide boats and a long fishing seine. A constant lookout was kept from an elevated place. A school of menhaden may always be detected out at sea by the smooth, shining streak of water above them and in their wake. Other fish kill and eat them so constantly that the oil ooze from their wounded and dying bodies in quantity sufficient to be plainly visible and make the water smooth and shining. When the school was discovered the farmers took to their boats, shot out through the breakers, drew long nets around the fish and scooped them in literally by the million. A single haul of a net sometimes brought a million.

When the first were brought in they were loaded into carts holding 1,000 apiece, and hauled to the fields and scattered broadcast upon them. A menhaden is eight to fourteen [illegible] to a shovelful of barnyard manure.

The steam tugs with their tows have broken up largely this profitable fishing, hence the quarrel. The farmers are undertaking to have the steamers required by law not to fish within three miles of the shore. After a day's fishing in the old way the nets were stretched upon gigantic reels along the shore to dry. The reels made a picturesque object in the landscape. One of them is shown in the illustration.

Co-operative Farming in England.

A successful attempt at co-operation in farming is reported in England. A company of city workingmen, tradesmen and mechanics in London, who were out of employment, united in an association which rented a run-down farm of 184 acres near London. They paid a comparatively high rental for such land thirty five shillings per acre, but put so much labor on it that the enterprise was a success. The land was enriched and devoted largely to market gardening and dairying, the latter necessitating an association secured capital to purchase cows. Formerly only four men were employed on the farm. Now it gives constant employment to forty, with proportionate increase of profit. This is possibly a suggestive experiment for unemployed workmen in some American cities. It is comparatively easy to secure land on favorable terms. The difficulty would be that too many unemployed workingmen would try to shirk the severe or disagreeable labor inseparable from any farm operations. Still, if there is no shrinkage, these combined attempts at farming are more likely to be successful than individual attempts often made by discouraged men with small capital. Co-operation helps to lessen the burden of lack of money when each of the partners is willing to do his share of the work.—American Cultivator.

Facts of Interest.

Geologic surveys indicate that the New England coast is slowly rising.

In Berlin the health authorities propose to establish two great city "milk halls," where unadulterated pure milk can be got by the poor. This is in the hope of diminishing infant mortality.

A chemist recently analyzed a sample of a certain widely advertised "nerve food," and found it to be sweetened water flavored with [illegible] one or two bitter substances. That was all there was to it.

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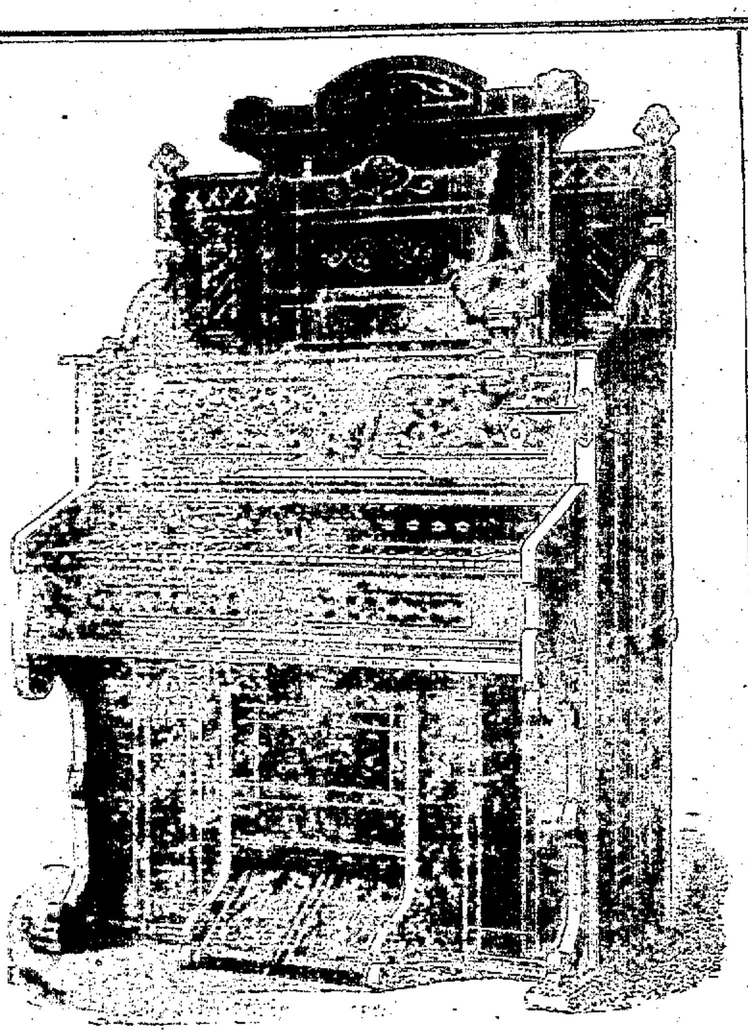

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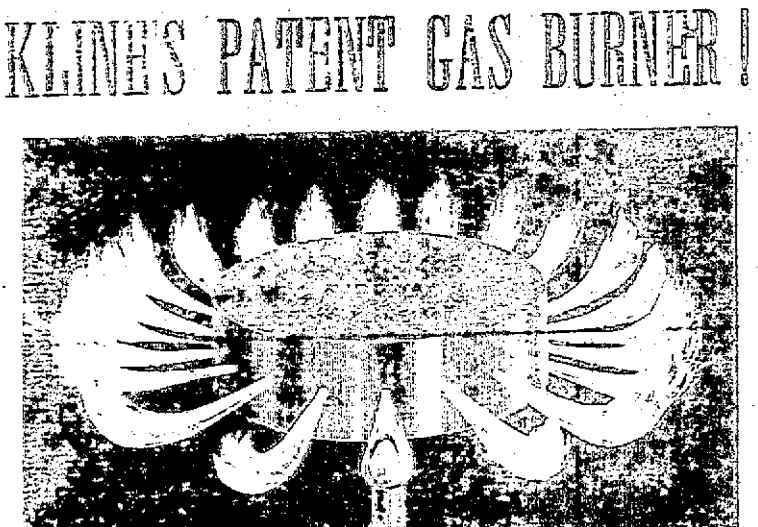

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FROM THE STATE CAPITAL.

[From our own correspondent.]

HARRISBURG, Nov. 9.—The agony is over and the hopes of Republicans have been more than realized; not only in this State but in all the States, both north and south of Mason's and Dixon's line. Even the heretofore solid south has yielded its quota, small to be sure, to make the Republican heart glad. "Constant drippings, it is said, wear, even stones," and no one can tell but that the auspicious beginning made November 2d is the little drop that will eventuate the cataract that will sweep the "solid Democratic south" away and bring good results.

There is little consolation for our Democratic brethren in the returns of the late election, but, like old widow Bedott's cow, which was "born with a cawl," they know a thing or two after it has been told them and they have had it exemplified by some practical experience and hence all that the Bourbon press of to day is doing, is an endeavor to show how the thing happened or where the mistakes were made. It is an easy task. First. The party creed is one of mistakes from beginning to end. Second. The principal reason for the Democratic Waterloo is that the people of the land are much wiser, after a two years' taste of the new reform Government, and acting upon the knowledge thus gained, simply voted for "the other fellow" and herein lies the whole secret.

The short tenure of office under Democratic rule and results and record when contrasted with the brilliant record of twenty four years under Republican rule, presents the two parties so plainly before an intelligent public, that a choice was easily made and this choice was practically exercised by the American voter recently. The verdict has been given in no uncertain sounds and the land is happy to-day under the cheering prospects of future success for the Republican party, and the solid south as one of the relics of rebellious slaveocracy will again be with the north for good government.

Reason as you will, from cause to effect, and but one conclusion can be reached and that one is, the people have had a grand sufficiency of tariff-tinkering and reform, the latter a hollow pretense, and in the most determined way, have said "we will have no more of it."

This is the verdict of the November election. Simply this and nothing more. Locally our election passed off quietly. The day opened clear, bright and warm. "The day's work was to be done under the smiles of our approving Master. The phenomenally bright and pleasant day was often commented upon, and once by a despondent Democrat, who said fair weather always brings out the Republican vote, and if history will repeat itself to day Beaver ought to get one hundred thousand majority."

The vote was not as full as was expected. The results in our own immediate city, are, however not what were looked for, as, for the first time in a series of years, Harrisburg cast its majority vote for the Democratic candidate for Governor, giving Black a majority of 15 which ought to have been a majority of 480 for Beaver. The evening of election, after the polls closed, the greatest interest centered around the *Patriot* (Dem.) and the *Telegraph* (Rep.) offices. An eager, anxious crowd awaited news in front of the former, where red lights, blue fire and vocal pyrotechnics were set off in great abundance, to the choruses of a thousand voices, which cheered the grand news displayed from a second story window.

At the *Telegraph* office there was also a great crowd, but as good news failed to reach us, looking blue and suspicious because of the tardy news. Meanwhile the howling mob further down the street occasioned increased discomfort to those assembled at 3d and Market.

These anxious moments lengthened into hours until almost midnight, when of a sudden the *Patriot* bon-fires went out and its office put on a sombre appearance and quiet reigned. The excitement at once was transferred to the *Telegraph* office and when a dispatch, and the first really encouraging one of the night was received from Chairman Cooper at Philadelphia, that "Beaver and the Republican ticket had carried the State by at least 40,000 majority," there was a howl went up from the crowd that made the air ring. All the pent up enthusiasm of several hours, was let loose at one time, and could General Beaver have heard it, how he would have been pleased. It expressed the sincerest and spontaneous congratulations to the one legged hero of many battle fields, whom the people had rewarded for meritorious services, when our bleeding land called for help.

The Republicans of Dauphin county are all smiles and have cause in common with all Republicans in the State for much rejoicing at the grand success achieved on November 2d.

Scarcely has the news of victory been heralded, before our busy-bodies have commenced to form General Beaver's cabinet, but I fancy he scarcely yet has had time to recover from the fatigue of his campaign and has not even given a thought to the political associates that are to compose his executive family.

True it is, however, that the present incumbents of the "Hill offices" feel sore at the chilling prospect of a "grand bounce." Some of the Democrats would wish that the civil service reform rules were in operation, but, alas! the Republicans must take up the Democratic refrain, "Turn the rascals out," and with the induction of the new officials into office there will be an exodus of present employees and the vacancies made *must* be filled by Republicans.

This morning your correspondent came upon a bevy of Democrats who were discussing the reasons for their Waterloo; and *how* Randall and Hensel were abused. The entire blame for defeat was laid at the doors of these two unfortunate leaders. Selfish, official patronage was urged against Randall, with an unscrupulous use of the privileges of his favored position, while as against the Prophetic Hensel, it was charged that he was utterly and totally incapable of managing a campaign.

One enthusiastic Democrat wanted to bet *five hundred* dollars that Wallace *would have* carried the State by a Democratic majority exceeding that given to Pattison four years ago.

"Hensel," said another, "can never again be made Chairman of the State Central Committee. Wallace must take the helm, for with him as pilot the Republicans will be sent up 'Salt River,' sure."

What is the use of looking for reasons for the recent defeat. This State is a protection State and its vote will always be on the side of Republicanism, because it is the party that emblazons upon its standard:

"Protection to Home Industries."

In contradistinction to this the opposing forces rally under a banner emblazoned with legends of Free Trade and pauper foreign labor wages.

The result of the vote on election day plainly showed how badly the Democratic party is disorganized.

Governor Pattison and Secretary of State Stenger with Attorney General Cassidy have no special messages of condolence to send Black for his defeat and away up among the coal hills of Clearfield county, Wallace laughs and wonders if Black has found out, as yet, what hit him such an unmerciful blow.

This evening the Geo. W. Hunter and the J. D. Cameron Republican clubs go to York to join the local Plumed Knights club in a grand jollification meeting over the election.

This is too bad to "jollify" under the shades of the Black mansion because of Black's defeat, but when the good work of the Plumed Knights in *gaining* 1700 votes over any previous record for Republicans in that Democratic stronghold is considered, it seems fitting that this jollification should be held at York. Chauncey F. Black will be out of humor, no doubt, but he must take it good-naturedly, to extend the "pratique of the city" to the visitors and be happy.

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HEALTH AND MANNERS.

How to Keep Yourself Well and How to Behave.

Ladies whose feet have become misshapen from excessively narrow boots can do much to remedy the difficulty by care and pains. Select easy, roomy shoes, and stockings of soft fabric. Bathe the feet thoroughly in water comfortably warm, never allowing it to grow cold enough to feel chilly, and wipe them thoroughly dry with a soft towel—coarse crash is almost poison to sensitive skins, and often causes irritation and a small eruption like rash. Then rub into them thoroughly about the joints or injured parts either cold cream, or what is better, glycerine, perfectly pure, and mixed with double the quantity of water. Especially should it be diligently applied to the joints of the great toes if they are enlarged or painful. Wipe off with a damp cloth and dry carefully, after which powder the feet thoroughly with rice flour powder. Brush off all that comes away easily and put on the stocking, being careful that no semblance of a seam comes over the sensitive joints.

These cautions may seem trifles, but the feet are ill, and all conditions of recovery must be observed. Take care that they do not get very cold or in the least damp. The difficulty is an inflammation of the joint membranes and has had many serious results. At night the feet may be wiped off with a damp cloth and the glycerine and powder repeated. Ladies who adopt this plan will never find soft corns coming between the toes. For hard corns there is nothing better than a little judiciously applied caustic, which should touch the hardened part of the corn, never the surrounding flesh. Repeat every other day, first soaking the feet in warm water and gently scraping the surface of the corn until it will finally come out altogether. Great care must be taken to keep the caustic from the whole flesh, and the foot should never be damp, as the application will spread rapidly. Such a course of treatment, patiently followed, has in several cases restored to quite passable shape and comfort feet that were considered as hopelessly deformed.—Demorest's Monthly.

Silk Underclothing.

There is a widely prevalent idea that silk is the best substance from which to make underclothing, and I have known many poor girls to stint themselves in the necessaries of life in order to save enough money to purchase silk undergarments. But silk is not the best material with which to make underclothes, so far as concerns their health preserving qualities, whatever may be its advantages so far as beauty and immediate comfort are concerned. The chief object of underclothing is the retention of the natural heat of the body in such a way that low temperatures and sudden changes will not effect the surface. Several years ago I performed some experiments which went to show beyond a doubt that silk is below wool in its power to prevent the loss of heat from the body and very little superior to cotton. Indeed, nothing is in this respect preferable to wool, and of this material all underclothing meant for winter use should be made. In summer a mixture of wool and cotton called merino may be worn, but even in very hot weather silk is not desirable, for it is not such a ready absorber of the perspiration as is wool, and hence allows the body to be kept in a state not very remote from that known as parboiled. Wool, however, taking up as it does the moisture from the body, exposes it to the action of the atmosphere, it is evaporated, and the process being a cooling one, keeps the skin from becoming overheated.

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TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD.

8:25, a. m.—Day Express for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 6:30 p. m., New York 9:35 p. m., Baltimore 6:45 p. m., Washington, 8:00 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport to Philadelphia.

9:15 p. m.—Erie Mail for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 6:20 a. m., New York 11:20 a. m., Baltimore 8:15 a. m., Washington 9:35 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington and through passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

10:33 a. m.—Erie Mail for Erie and all intermediate stations with through Pullman Palace car and through passenger coaches to Erie.

7:00 p. m.—Niagara Express for Kane and intermediate stations with through passenger coaches to Kane.

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Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia 7:40 a. m. Baltimore 7:30 a. m., arriving at Emporium Junction 7:00 p. m., with through Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport. Erie Mail leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:00 p. m., Baltimore 11:20 p. m., arriving at Emporium Junction 10:33 a. m., with through Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

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BUFFALO DIVISION.

North'd				Station	South'd
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	Ar.		Lv.
7 00	1 15	8 40		Buffalo	[illegible]
6 15	12 27	[illegible]		East Aurora	[illegible]
5 34	12 04	7 17		Sardinia Jun	[illegible]
[illegible]	11 56	7 11		Arcade	[illegible]
5 16	11 42	[illegible]		Machias	[illegible]
4 50	11 31	6 40		Franklinville	[illegible]
4 17	11 04	6 02		Hinsdale	[illegible]
4 [illegible]	10 47	5 50		Olean	[illegible]
2 15	7 15			Bradford	12 45 [illegible]
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	Lv.		Ar.
3 45	10 25			Portville	[illegible]
3 21	10 09			Eldred	[illegible]
3 12	10 00			Larrabee	[illegible]
2 48	9 32			Port Allegany	[illegible]
1 15	8 35			Emporium	[illegible]
p.m.	a.m.		Lv.		Ar.
a.m.			Lv.		Ar.
3 30				Harrisburg	[illegible]
11 20				Philadelphia	[illegible]
8 00				New York	[illegible]
11 20				Baltimore	[illegible]
10 00				Washington	[illegible]
p.m.			Lv.		Ar.

Trains leaving Buffalo [illegible] Buffalo 8:00 a. m. [illegible] Additional Sunday Trains. Leave Buffalo 9:30 a. m., arriving at Machias Jc. [illegible] leave Machias Jc. [illegible] to at 7:55 p. m. stopping [illegible]

CLERMONT BRANCH.

Lv Northw'd		STATIONS.	Lv South'd
P.M.	A.M.		A.M.
4.10	9.35	Larrabee	[illegible]
4.00	9.10	Frisbees	[illegible]
3.45	9.00	Farmers Valley	[illegible]
2.35	8.40	Smethport	[illegible]
2.12	7.30	Crosby	[illegible]
2.05	7.10	Colegrove	[illegible]
2.02	7.00	Hamlin	[illegible]
1.35	6.00	Clermont	[illegible]
P.M.	A.M.		P.M.

ROCHESTER DIVISION.

North'd			Station	South'd
p.m.	a.m.	a.m. Ar.		
7 15	11 05	9 00	Rochester	[illegible]
7 02	10 52	8 47	Term'al	[illegible]
6 52	10 45	8 40	Genesee	[illegible]
6 38	10 27	8 25	Scottsville	[illegible]
6 16	10 10	8 00	Avon	[illegible]
6 06	10 00	7 47	Fowlerville	[illegible]
6 00	9 53	7 40	York	[illegible]
5 45	9 36	7 22	Cuylerville	[illegible]
5 31	9 20	7 10	Mt Morris	[illegible]
5 16	9 00	6 42	Tuscarora	[illegible]
5 02	8 53	6 40	Junction	[illegible]
4 36	8 25		Portage	[illegible]
4 22	8 11		Wiscoy	[illegible]
4 12	8 05		Filmore	[illegible]
3 53	7 45		Caneadea	[illegible]
3 45	7 35		Belfast	[illegible]
3 12	7 02		Cuba	[illegible]
2 55	6 45		Hinsdale	[illegible]
2 35	6 25		Olean	[illegible]
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			Lv Swains	[illegible]
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Narrow Gauge System.—Trains leave [illegible] for Bradford 7.30, 11.00 a. m., [illegible] Olean 8.50 a. m., 2.55, 6.10 p. m. [illegible] for Bradford 7.10, 11.55 [illegible] arrive Eldred 8.30, a. m. [illegible] Leave Bradford for Kinzua [illegible] p. m., arrive Bradford [illegible]

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WESTWARD.			STATIONS.	EASTWARD.
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p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		
5 20	10 45	8 30	ar..Bradford..lv.	[illegible]
4 58	10 16	7 50	Kenzua Jc	[illegible]
4 50	10 11	7 40	Aiken	[illegible]
4 30	10 56	7 30	Simpson	[illegible]
8 16	10 35	6 45	Smethport	[illegible]
4 20	9 56	7 40	Rew City	[illegible]
4 06	9 35		Rixford	[illegible]
4 01	9 28		Duke Centre	[illegible]
3 44	9 13		Eldred	[illegible]
3 27	8 54		Bullis Mills	[illegible]
3 11	8 35		Ceres	[illegible]
2 57	8 26		Little Genesee	[illegible]
			Bolivar	[illegible]
2 46	8 15		Bolivar	[illegible]
2 27	7 46		Allentown	[illegible]
1 50	7 14		lv Wellsville ar	[illegible]
			N.Y., L. E. & W.	
12 40	7 50		Hornellsville	[illegible]
	6 26		Corning	[illegible]
	5 46		Elmira	[illegible]
	5 12		Waverly	[illegible]
	4 55		Owego	[illegible]
	3 53		Binghampton	[illegible]
	8 00		New York	[illegible]
	p.m.			

Sunday Trains leave Wellsville at 7 [illegible] Bolivar at 8.26, Ceres at [illegible], Eldred at [illegible] Duke Centre at 9 42, Rixford at 9 45, Rew City at 10 00, Smethport at [illegible], Simpson at [illegible] Aiken at 10 05, arriving at Bradford at [illegible]

Additional train leaves Wellsville daily except Sunday, at 5.25 p.m. arriving at Allentown at 5 45 and Bolivar at 6 15 p. m.

a—Runs daily.
b—Runs daily except Sunday.

JNO. C. McKENNA, Superintendent.

CUBA BRANCH. To take effect Jan. [illegible]

Westward.		Stations.	Eastward
28	26		[illegible]
p.m.	a.m.		a.m.
3 27	9 07	Ar.....Cuba.....	[illegible]
1 30	7 25	Lv..Little Genesee..	[illegible]
1 15	7 10	......Bolivar......	[illegible]

B. C. WILLIAMS, [illegible]
JNO. C. McKENNA, G. P. A.

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway Company.

New Time Table, take effect [illegible] 18, 1886.

ROCHESTER DIVISION.

EASTWARD.			STATIONS.	WESTWARD
Acc.	Exp	Mail	Eastern Time.	[illegible]
p.m.	a.m.	p.m.		
3 15	9 40	9 37	ar Rochester	[illegible]
2 02	9 04	9 10	Scottsville	[illegible]
1 27	8 48	8 56	Mumford	[illegible]
12 52	8 24	8 29	Leroy	[illegible]
12 05	8 0[illegible]	8 22	Pavillion	[illegible]
11 33	7 55	8 10	Wyoming	[illegible]
10 55	7 44	7 48	Warsaw	[illegible]
10 20	7 33	7 35	Silver Lake Jn	[illegible]
9 54	7 25	7 25	Gainesville	[illegible]
9 30	7 17	7 16	Pike	[illegible]
9 11	7 06	7 00	Bliss	[illegible]
7 55	6 40	6 30	Farmersville	[illegible]
7 15	6 29	6 21	Machias	[illegible]
6 20	6 10	6 00	Ashford	[illegible]
a.m.	6 02	5 51	Ellicottville	[illegible]
	5 45	5 32	Bradford Junc	[illegible]
	5 40	5 27	lv Salamanca	[illegible]
	5 25	5 17	ar	
	5 22	5 01	Carrollton	[illegible]
	5 12	4 47	Limestone	[illegible]
	4 00	4 35	lv Bradford	[illegible]
	a.m.	2 15	ar	
		2 08	Custer City	[illegible]
		12 02	Johnsonb'g Jun	[illegible]
		11 46	Ridgway	[illegible]
		10 47	Little Toby	[illegible]
		10 30	Brockwayville	[illegible]
		9 56	Falls Creek	[illegible]
		9 50	DuBois	[illegible]
		9 18	Sykes	[illegible]
		8 58	Big Run	[illegible]
		8 40	Punxsutawney	[illegible]
		6 25	lv Clarville	[illegible]

BUFFALO DIVISION.

EASTWARD.			STATIONS.	WESTWARD
Exp	Mail	Exp		
a.m.	p.m.			
10 45	6 45		Ar Buffalo Lv	[illegible]
			Williams St	[illegible]
10 00	6 07		Orchard Park	[illegible]
9 53	5 42		West Falls	[illegible]
9 42	5 32		Golden	[illegible]
9 12	9 12		Springville	[illegible]
8 45	8 46		West Valley	[illegible]
8 30	8 30		Ashford	[illegible]
a.m.	p.m.			

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Connections are made at Buffalo with N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. for Niagara Falls, Lewiston, Hamilton and Toronto, with M. C. R. R., Michigan Central R. R. and Trunk Railway for all points in Michigan and the west.

Tickets, time tables and full information to be procured at ticket office, N. Y. C. & H. R. R. depot, Exchange street, Buffalo.

JAS. T. GARDNER, Gen'l Supt. ISAIAH S. EMERY, Gen'l Pass'r Agt.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY Railroad Time Table, takes effect Monday, [illegible] 21, 1886

AR. EASTW'D.		STATIONS.	LV WESTW'D.
PM	P.M.		A.M.
6.56	1.30	Coudersport	[illegible]
6.31	1.14	Hammonds	[illegible]
6.42	1.06	Olmsted	[illegible]
6.37	1.00	Nelsons	[illegible]
6.28	12.52	Knowlton	[illegible]
6.22	12.46	Roulette	[illegible]
6.16	12.41	Pomeroy Bridge	[illegible]
6.10	12.35	Burtville	[illegible]
6.02	12.26	Silver Spring	[illegible]
5.56	12.19	Coleman	[illegible]
5.50	12.12	Port Allegany	[illegible]

Trains run on eastern standard time.
B. A. McCLURE, Supt.

BINGHAM ESTATE.

ROBT. H. ROSE

Is authorized to receive moneys for me; applications to buy lands. He will give attention generally, in any business of this estate in McKean County. His office is in THE BACKUS BUILDING, SMETHPORT.

ROBT. C. SIMPSON,
Agent of the Trustees.
Wellsboro, Pa. Dec. 24 1873.